

FISCAL NOTE

HB 3110 - SB 3059

March 14, 2006

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires sheriffs, property assessors, and any other elected local government officials to receive the same salary as the highest paid appointed official under the mayor. Requires all general officers of the county to be paid the same salary with the exception of any education incentive payments. Requires the salary of all general officers of the county to be adjusted annually according to the average percentage of change in the consumer price index over the preceding two years.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Exceeds \$100,000*


Assumption:

- The required salary increases will result in an increase in local government expenditures. The amount of such increase will depend upon the number of local government official's salaries that will need to be increased and the percentage change in the consumer price index each year. Such increase can reasonably be estimated to exceed \$100,000.

**Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.*

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director